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**AMENDMENT and RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed 12/10/2007, kindly amend the above application as follows.